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STEALTH IN THE SUN. When the hooded, batlike jet was rolled out of a top-secret hangar in California last week, the world stared for the first time at the Stealth bomber. And the \$500 million plane, looking as sinister as Darth Vader, stared

right back. Yet it did not shed all of its mystery. Guests were kept 200 feet away, screened from seeing the B-2's rear and 2000/08/08 CIA-RDP96-00789R000300760006-0 looking as sinister as Darth Vader, stared

guard dogs watched menacingly as a band played. The unveiling, after eight years of rising public interest, had become a secret. Soon test flights will begin soon and will be conducted in daylight, Stealth could be hidden no longer.